

# Grapevine

The FRPS newsletter, Nov 2011

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## Welcome to our November edition of Grapevine

### Harvest Festival

The Harvest Festival was a lovely occasion for the school, with a wonderful display of donated food for the assemblies. We managed to circulate around 28 baskets of food to residents within the community and we made a donation to the Wellspring in Stockport – a huge 'Thank You' to everyone who donated food, to everyone who helped make up the baskets and to parents who distributed them.

### Christmas Fair

Preparations are now in full swing for the Fair on Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> December. Below is a list of what each class will be doing on the day. Please have a look at the list and if you can spare some time on the day to help us out, please contact us, your class rep or class teacher. All help is appreciated.

<u>YEAR</u>	<u>CLASS</u>	<u>STALL</u>
NURSERY	AM/PM	CAKE STALL
RECEPTION	MRS RATHBONE	CHOCOLATE TOMBOLA
RECEPTION	MRS TAYLOR/MRS PARKINSON	SANTA GROTTTO
YEAR 1	MISS HANCOCK	BOTTLE TOMBOLA
YEAR 1	MISS EVANS	GAMES ROOM
YEAR 2	MRS LOMAS	CATERING
YEAR 2	MRS HARRIS	CATERING
YEAR 3	MRS DRIVER	SECRET ROOM
YEAR 3	MRS CLERC/MISS THORNILEY	WHITE ELEPHANT/RAFFLE
YEAR 4	MRS SAXELBY	CALENDARS
YEAR 4	MISS BOWEN	CRAFTS
YEAR 5/6	MR BLEASDALE	GUESS HOW MANY LIGHTS ON THE TREE
YEAR 5/6	MRS HENSHAW	JUNK ENVELOPES/GEM STALL
YEAR 5/6	MR DUNBAR	FACE PAINTING
YEAR 5/6	MR OWNSWORTH	BALLOONS
	JO MCCARTHY	ENTRANCE

The money raised this year will be used for the same purpose as last year, to refurbish the garden area in KS2. The plans for the garden outweigh the money raised last year, so to ensure the children and school will benefit from the development, we will donate all money raised at the fair to this project.

We are also looking for prizes for our very popular raffle. If you or the company you work for are able to make a donation which we can use in the raffle, we would be grateful.

We would also be interested in any company who would be willing to 'FUND MATCH' the amount raised by any of our stalls. Quite simply, a company may pledge to match the funds raised on a particular stall if you help out for a short time. In the past banks have done this but any company can do it. If your employer would like to help, please contact us for further details.

### Dates for your diary

**Monday 21<sup>st</sup> November – Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> December** – White elephant donations to be brought in.

**Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> November** – Chocolate donations to be brought in.

**Friday 25<sup>th</sup> November** – ALL raffle tickets to be returned.

**Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> November** – Odd Sock and Funky Tights Day in return for bottle donation.

**Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> December** – Cake donations to be in.

### 100 Club Winners

September – Mrs Reeves, Debbie Chew and Linda Hibbert

October – Phylis Birchall, Ged White and Judith Lilley

November – Doreen Stagg, Louise Adshead and Sarah Bashford. Congratulations to you all!

!!Remember to use [www.shop2fundraise.co.uk](http://www.shop2fundraise.co.uk) for all your Christmas shopping!!

Our next meeting is at **8pm, Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> January 2012** at the new venue of **The Duke of York Pub, Romiley.**